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Application of :
Nigel CHATTEY :
Serial No. 09/992,704 : Group Art Unit: 3652
Filed: November 14, 2001 :
For: CRANE APPARATUS FOR :
DIRECT TRANSSHIPMENT OF :
MARINE CONTAINERS :
BETWEEN TRANSPORTATION :
MODES WITHOUT NEED OF :
GROUND PLACEMENT : Docket No. C001-4152

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING
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On December 7, 2001, the PTO issued a Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application ("Notice") advising that the application was filed without a declaration and that an abstract was not provided. Applicant was given a two-month period in which to submit the declaration and an abstract together with a surcharge for late filing thereof.

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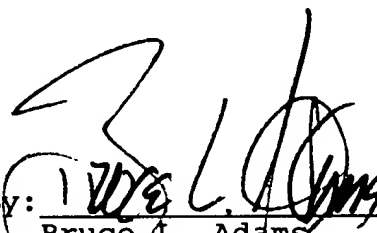
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In response to the PTO Notice, a duly signed declaration and an abstract is submitted herewith together with a check in the sum of \$65.00 for a small entity status application to cover the required surcharge for the late filing of the declaration and abstract. Also submitted is a copy of the PTO Notice. Should the check prove insufficient for any reason, authorization is hereby given to charge any such deficiency to Deposit Account No. 01-0268.

It is respectfully requested that the processing of the application be completed, and that the filing receipt be issued in due course.

Respectfully submitted,

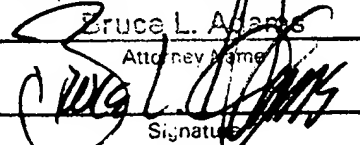
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- An abstract was not provided for this application. An abstract of the technical disclosure is required under 37 CFR 1.72(b).

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